

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

RUSSELL BOWENS A/K/A NURIDEEN
ISLAM,

Plaintiff,

-against-

KEITH RUSSELL, FORMER EMPLOYEE
AT NEW YORK THEOLOGICAL
SEMINARY; NEW YORK THEOLOGICAL
SEMINARY,

Defendants.

21-CV-8136 (LTS)

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

LAURA TAYLOR SWAIN, Chief United States District Judge:

By order dated October 25, 2021, the Court directed Plaintiff to file an amended complaint within sixty days.¹ That order specified that failure to comply would result in dismissal of the complaint. Plaintiff has not filed an amended complaint. Accordingly, the complaint, filed *in forma pauperis* (IFP) under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(1), is dismissed under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2)(B)(ii).

The Court certifies under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(3) that any appeal from this order would not be taken in good faith, and therefore IFP status is denied for the purpose of an appeal. *Cf. Coppedge v. United States*, 369 U.S. 438, 444-45 (1962) (holding that an appellant demonstrates good faith when he seeks review of a nonfrivolous issue).

¹ On November 9, 2021, the order was returned to the court because Plaintiff's apartment number was missing from the address on the envelope. On November 10, 2021, the order was re-mailed to the full address, including the apartment number, on file for Plaintiff.

The Clerk of Court is directed to mail a copy of this order to Plaintiff and note service on the docket.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: February 10, 2022
New York, New York

/s/ Laura Taylor Swain

LAURA TAYLOR SWAIN
Chief United States District Judge